

ASSESSMENTS NOT ENOUGH

Miner's Union Treasurer Recommends Sharp Advance in Monthly Payments.

GETTING READY FOR ANTHRACITE SETTLEMENT NEXT YEAR.

The national organization of union coal miners are up against a very considerable advance in the monthly per capita tax to keep up the strike and defense fund of the organization.

The treasurer's report states that the per capita tax of 10 cents a month has been wholly insufficient to meet the expenditures, the latter having averaged 37 cents per member per month. It states further that the weekly expenditures at the close of the year have increased and recommends a per capita tax of 50 cents per month during the year ending November 30th, 1905.

The general figures of the reports are as follows:

Balance on hand December 1st, 1904, of \$1,106,188.05. Receipts from members' tax were \$300,857.30, from assessments \$474,049.76, and other sources \$74,325.80, a total of \$852,722.86; expenditures for officers' salaries and expenses were \$100,735.80, for the relief of strikers \$1,067,300.57, other expenses \$87,092.95, leaving a balance on hand of \$603,922.32. This showed the year's expenditures to be \$502,340.20 in excess of the receipts.

Commenting on the significance of the figures in this report the New York Sun says:

"There has been a marked deflection from the ranks of the active out of 120,000 workers in the anthracite fields, only 48,000 are now on the list of paid-up members. During the year 1904, 18,000 dropped out or fell behind in their payments."

The annual wage adjustments are being made this month. The operators in some districts are forced to offer a lower schedule than now in force and the miners must either recognize this necessity or begin a strike which their treasury cannot sustain without making heavy assessments on the members.

The Indiana operators have laid down a rule that if any strike is begun in violation of agreement, all the operators in the district will refuse to collect union dues and assessments from their employees as long as such strike shall last.

The efforts of the Miner's Union is to get ready for the anthracite settlement which will have to be renewed April 1st, 1906.

SENSATIONAL SUIT.

J. T. Reynolds Charges J. M. and Henry Pemberton With Renting Smallop House.

ASKS \$10,000 DAMAGES FOR DISEASE IN FAMILY.

J. T. Reynolds has filed a suit in the Hopkins Circuit Court against J. M. and Henry Pemberton, of Madisonville, for 10,000 damages alleged to have been sustained by reason of defendants renting him a house infected with smallop. Reynolds, his wife and several children were taken with the disease.

Reynolds charges that defendants knew the house was infected. "Human clocks" should know their "maker," their "jewels," the time to "strike," the way to keep "going," the "keys" to eternal life, how to keep their "faces" shining, where their "works" will be the most effective, and that when the "alarm" goes off their souls shall awake in eternity.

A Thoughtful Church.

Last week Howard J. Brazleton and family, who have been boarding since coming to Earlington, went to housekeeping in the O'Brien property above the Catholic Church. Anticipating their needs the membership of the Christian Church of which Mr. Brazleton is minister, set about to arrange a surprise for them in providing some of the necessities of life. As a result a wagon load of good things found its way to the preacher on Friday morning. So complete was the arrangement that the smallest article necessary for a meal was not lacking. From salt and pepper to ham and breakfast bacon; pascake flour to butter and syrup; canned vegetables and fruit; soap and towels to pictures for the wall; and other things too numerous to mention. Suffice to say for months to come there will be little want for the grocery stores from this well remembered family. On Sunday morning Mr. Brazleton expressed to the church their gratitude for such expression of appreciation. It is scarcely necessary to say that such thoughtfulness cemented more closely the ties that bind preacher and people together and adds credit to his labors, while his family feels that "the times have fallen to them in pleasant places."

NO MORE CIGARETTES

Louisville and Nashville Official Says Employees Must Quit 'Coffin Malls.'

LECTURE BY ASST. Supt. M. DOWNEY.

Assistant Supt. M. Downey was in Earlington Monday and gave two very strong lectures on the pernicious habit of cigarette smoking. In the course of his lecture he informed his employees that tobacco in all forms was exceedingly injurious but especially so in the form of cigarettes as they clouded the brain and befogged the mind. He also explained that the mind of a habitual cigarette smoker was never as active and bright as the mind of a man who did not use them. In winding up his address he said that while the time had not yet arrived on this division for discharging men who used cigarettes that it was rapidly approaching and sufficient cause could always be found to discontinue the services of a man who used them. In conclusion he said he was on the look-out for the cigarette fiend and as fast as they were apprehended they would be removed from the service.

Christian Church.

Mr. W. J. Wright, superintendent of the National Evangelistic work of the Christian church, will speak at the church here on Friday night. Mr. Wright is a very forcible speaker. For a number of years he has been minister for the East, conducting meetings and planting churches in Philadelphia, Baltimore, New York and Washington. The church here is very fortunate in securing him for an address and extends a hearty invitation to every one to hear him.

Subject for Sunday morning—"The Process of Christian Growth." Evening worship at 7:30.

Mark Horn Acquitted.

Hopkinsville, Ky., March 17.—The jury in the Mark Horn murder case brought in a verdict of not guilty at 11 o'clock. Here is a young man who shot and killed his father, J. J. Horn, July 4, 1904, in a saloon in which the elder was bartender.

FRIENDLY SONS OF ST. PATRICK

President Roosevelt, Guest of Honor, Speaks at Annual Dinner.

AMUSING RACE SUICIDE INCIDENT.

New York, March 17.—President Roosevelt was the guest of honor tonight at the 121st annual dinner of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick. He was roundly cheered by more than 600 members of the society and its guests. He made a speech before the society, closing a day full of friendly greetings.

The banquet was given in the golden dining hall at Delmonico's and its annex, and both rooms were filled. The society was obliged to refuse more than 2000 applications for tickets.

To the right and left of the guests' table were fine medallions of Washington and Roosevelt, illuminated by electric effects. The contrast of Washington and Roosevelt was significant. The Friendly Sons of St. Patrick entertained Washington in 1792 as the general in chief of the colonial armies. Roosevelt is the first President, as such, that the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick has entertained.

ASST. TREASURER.

Caring the banquet the President said:

I wish to read a telegram received tonight. It is a sop to one of my well known prejudices. The recipient was a father tonight when he came to this banquet. Now he is a grandfather. Here is the telegram: "Peter McDonnell, Friendly Sons of St. Patrick Dinner: Patrick just arrived. Tired after parade. Sends his regrets to President. He is the first on record since Teddy attended the Friendly Sons' dinner. He is a fine singer. No race suicide in this family. Weighs 8 pounds and looks like the whole family. All is well. ROUNDER MEMORABLE." And, now, gentlemen, I want you to join me in drinking the health of Peter McDonnell, and above all, to Mrs. McDonnell.

MARSHAL KILLS NEGRO.

Central City Officer Shoots Man Who Resists Arrest—Self Defense.

Central City, Ky., March 17.—Marshal Tom Thurman shot and killed William James, an eighteen-year-old colored boy here this morning, while the boy was resisting arrest.

James wrenched one pistol away from Thurman and had hold of the second when the marshal shot. The first shot broke the boy's leg, and the second penetrated his lung, causing instant death. The boy was a member of the Illinois Central construction crew. The coroner's verdict at the inquest was self defense.

Six Barges of Coal Lost.

Henderson, Ky., March 17.—The W. W. O'Neil lost six barges of coal by collision with a pier on the Henderson bridge today.

LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS

All the large hills on the Henderson division of the Louisville and Nashville railroad extending from Empire to Guthrie, a distance of forty-one miles, will be cut down to facilitate freight traffic. Engineers are now at work making surveys. Another line will be run around Empire hill, and in case this route is adopted the new road will be built east of Crofton. It is said that two years' time will be required to complete the work between Empire and the Tennessee line.

The Louisville and Nashville railroad has also commenced reconstruction work on the division from Guthrie, Ky., to Greenbrier, Tenn. The distance is about 25 miles, and the road passes through a rough country. The plans include bridges over Red river and Sulphur fork.

Mr. Crutcher, formerly fireman on the coal train but now on through freight, moved his family to Nashville, Tenn., this week.

Artkar Brown, foreman boiler shop at Louisville, was in Howell Monday on business.

Fireman L. J. Darnell is spending the week at his home in Louisville.

Cland Moss, for sometime clerk in the car department at Howell, has been transferred to the Evansville yard as inspector, in which capacity he prefers to work.

He—Why has he put her picture in his watch?

She—Because he thinks she will love him in time.

—Yonkers Statesman.

Howell shops has just installed a Franklin air compressor, which has a capacity of 600 cubic feet of free air per minute. It is a mammoth machine and works smooth as a clock.

Osco Green, after an absence

of two months, has returned to work as fireman.

Switchman O. E. Brown fell from the top of a box car last Saturday while switching at Howell. Not seriously injured.

Mr. A. M. Smith has been appointed superintendent of the Southern R. R. at Princeton, Indiana.

Augustine A. Howell, born in Paris, France, in 1860, is a rising young railroad man in America, recently having been appointed general passenger agent of the Delaware and Hudson.

Friedman J. M. Neuman is visiting in Cincinnati this week.

Fireman C. B. Warren strained his back recently while shaking a locomotive engine pulling train 93.

E. C. Matthews was not sure that he could hold his own after through switching, and rather than make a failure resigned.

The machine he believed enough to keep busy all the time as able to dodge a lot of work.

The Guthrie coal hoist engine has had a break down, and has been shipped to Howell shops for a general overhauling.

Boys, how do you spend your Sundays? Please remember that "A Sabbath well spent brings a week of content, and plenty of health on the morrow; but a Sabbath profaned, whatever is gained, is a certain loss runner of sorrow."

Fireman W. D. Cox has resigned.

A. G. Rasche, a blacksmith at Howell, has resigned.

John Cogswell, the well known switchman, after a severe spell of sickness, lasting over a month has recuperated sufficiently to be back at work.

To judge from the way some men smoke cigarettes they must have a grudge against themselves.

BANKRUPT

Alfred G. Hawkins, a Sebree Merchant, Claims Was Robbed at St. Louis.

SAYS \$6,100 CASH TAKEN FROM POCKET AT UNION STATION.

A petition to have Alfred G. Hawkins, a dry goods merchant of Sebree, Ky., adjudged a bankrupt, was filed in the United States Court at Louisville, Saturday and Mr. Hawkins through his attorneys filed his written consent.

The involuntary petition states that Mr. Hawkins, on March 16, left his store at Sebree in the hands of C. W. Bennett, telling him to hold the same as trustee for the benefit of his creditors.

An interesting feature of the case is the robbery of Mr. Hawkins last Wednesday in St. Louis. He says that while making his way through a crowd in Union Station he was relieved of \$6,100 in cash which he had in the inside pocket of his coat. He stated to Chief Desmond, of St. Louis, that he had drawn the money from his home bank last Wednesday to pay several large bills which he owed in St. Louis. He said that the sum represented his entire savings, and several hundred dollars in borrowed money.

Mr. Hawkins has returned to his home at Sebree.

DR. CHATTEN LOCATES AT SAN ANTONIO.

Popular Physician and Surgeon Retires From Earlington in Favor of the West.

Dr. E. A. Chatten who has for some years been chief of medical and surgical staff for the St. Bernard Mining Co., at this place, and local surgeon for the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Co., has notified friends that he has permanently located at San Antonio, Texas, for the practice of his profession.

Dr. Chatten's work here had been very arduous for some time before he left home for an extended vacation trip through the west, and his health had been indifferent for some months, though he was able to be at his post of duty through a strong determination to serve his patrons. His trip to the west had a double purpose of rest and prospecting and he has decided in favor of San Antonio.

His many friends and patrons here regret this decision deeply. Dr. Chatten made a most enviable name for himself as an exceptionally successful surgeon during his practice here and nearly all of his professional work, since he entered the profession, has been done here. As a physician he was equally successful, and his departure is a distinct loss to the community.

He is known to the profession at San Antonio through his visit to and attendance upon Mr. Geo. C. Atkinson, of this place, last year, during the desperate illness of that gentleman at the Texas city. It is hoped that the Doctor's health may be renewed and that additional deserved success may crown his work in his new western home.

It is understood that Mrs. Chatten and son will remain here for the present.

No announcement is made yet as to Dr. Chatten's successor.

The man who stays out of the church because there are hypocrites in it may never get the religion they haven't got, nor reach the place they all likely miss.

HARGIS SCARED GRAND JURY.

Foreman of Breathitt County Jury Swears They Were Frightened Into Adjournment.

Lexington, Ky., March 21.—The inquiry into the case of the Hargises and Callahan charged with complicity in the murder of Cockrill, for the purpose of deciding the question of admitting them to bail, was resumed today. A sensational story was told by A. C. Bowman, foreman of the Breathitt County grand jury. He testified that when the grand jury was investigating the case against Will Britton for killing Cockrill, for which he afterwards was given a life sentence, Riley Coldiron had just given a sensational testimony against Britton. At this point Alex. Hargis rushed into the grand jury room, and by threats and angry attitude, compelled the grand jury to adjourn, after vainly trying to get it to investigate a charge of perjury brought by Britton's friends against Coldiron. Bowman said the case was dropped and never resumed by them through fear.

Will Never Die.

A subscriber from Frisco, Texas, sends us this poetry; it is after the style of the late Parson Brownlow, of Tenn., and was inspired by the following from a recent issue of the Sun-Sentinel: "From the way the Democrats are falling over each other to get in line with Republican policies, there is danger that our party will become so large that it will be unwieldy."

What our poet friend says of the Democratic party is also true of weeds:

DEMOCRACY WILL DIE.

"When the lion will eat grass like an ox
And the fish-worm swallows the whale,
When the terrapin knits woolen socks
And the hare is outrun by the snail,
When serpents walk upright like men
And the doodle-bugs travel like frogs,
When grass hoppers, feed on the hen
And feathers are found on the hog,
When Thomas cats swim in the air
And the elephants root up in trees,
When insects in summer are rare
And snail never makes people sneeze,

When fish creep over dry land
And mules on bicycles ride,
When foxes lay eggs in the sand
And women in dress take no pride,

When Dutchmen will drink no beer
And pigs get to preaching on time,
When hilly-goats but from the rear
And treason is no longer crime,

When the humming bird brays like an ass
And limberger smells like cologne,
When plow shares are made of glass
And the hearts of Kontuckians are stone,

When ideas grow in bullet shaped heads,
And wool on the hydraulic ram,
Then the Democratic party will be done
And the country won't be worth a cent."

OR HOW I WISH I KNEW.

In my sleep I heard a voice
Distinctly call my name;
And I arose and answered,
But heard it not again.
It might have been to call me
To something I should do,
For myself and for others—
Oh, how I wish I knew!

In my sleep I heard this voice
I must have heard before,
From some loved one departed
For heaven's golden shore.
Can it have been my slayer?
Nay, that cannot be true!
Can it have been my mother?
Oh, how I wish I knew!

—William J. Burtcher.

Mrs. Chadwick is guilty. We supposed it all the time.

Here is Quality
And a Quantity of it.



\$4.50

Buys this golden oak finished CUPBOARD; is 3 feet wide and 6 feet 8 inches high; has fancy carved top and brass handles on drawer; furnished complete with rollers.

Morton & Hall,

Madisonville, Ky.

SHORT LOCALS

Mrs. O. P. Webb is on the sick list this week with a cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brinkley are now boarding with Mrs. O. P. Webb.

Rev. Abbott, of Hopkinsville, filled his regular appointment in this place Tuesday night.

Two gentlemen from Earlington got lost in Buckner's horse lot one night recently, who were they?

Misses Hauner and Fugate, Madisonville, will have their opening of ready to wear and pattern hats March 31 and April 1.

Query! What gentleman from Madisonville wears a linen duster in winter when he visits Earlington?

Lee Jackson, who is well and favorably known in this place, has secured employment with Hess Jones, of Madisonville, and can be found at that place in future.

Mrs. Elsie Robinson has sold her property on Sebree ave., to Mrs. Wm. Herndon. Mrs. Herndon will make this her home.

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To Rent.
One furnished room on Railroad street. Terms \$5 per month. Apply to this office.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Smith, Friday afternoon, a fine 8 pound boy. Mother and child both doing well.

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CASTORIA.
The Kid You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.*

Notice.
In future no mutilated or cut bread checks will be received by me. Bending or cutting bread checks render them worthless. M. B. LONG.

Pale, Thin, Nervous?

Then your blood must be in a very bad condition. You certainly know what to take, then take it—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. If you doubt, then consult your doctor. We know what he will say about this grand old family medicine. Sold for over 60 years.

This is the first question your doctor would ask: "Are your bowels regular?" He knows that daily action of the bowels is absolutely essential to recovery. Keep your liver active and your bowels regular by taking *Ayer's Pills*.

Made by J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufactured by
Ayer's
SARSAPARILLA
PILLS
FOR
BILIOUSNESS,
HEADACHE,
AND
CONSTIPATION.

Miss Elizabeth Victory entertained a few friends informally Friday evening in complement to Mrs. Will Brannon. Five Hundred was the game. Delicious refreshments were served.

Bishop & Co., the well known Madisonville merchants, have placed page ad in this week's Bee. Our readers will do well to read this ad as this firm always does just what they say they will do.

Barred Rocks and White Leghorn.
Any one wishing a setting of Barred or White Plymouth Rock and White Leghorn eggs, can procure same at fifty cents a setting by applying at this office.

Jewel Webb has decided to attend school in Bowling Green and will leave for that place Friday. Jewel is one of Earlington's most popular young men and has many friends here who will be glad to see him do well.

A number of the friends of Miss Sue Ford, of Hovla, gave her a pleasant surprise party one night recently. There were quite a number present and it is unnecessary to say the charming hostess gave them a good time.

Foley's Honey and Tar
Lungs and stops the cough

At a meeting of the Earlington brass band which was held on Thursday night it was decided to meet on Tuesday night hereafter. All members are requested to be present at 8:30 o'clock on the next regular meeting night.

Misses Maud and Nora Kell, of Madisonville, are visiting the family of Mr. R. N. Clark this week. They are conducting the singing services at the revival which is in progress at the M. E. church.

While at work in the L. & N. machine shop last Thursday, Howard Blair had the misfortune to have the end of his thumb on his left hand cut off. Mr. Blair is one of Earlington's best known young men and has a number of friends who regret to learn of the accident.

Persons desiring to purchase pianos or organs will save money by placing their orders with E. Hibbs, who is the legal representative of D. H. Baldwin & Co. in Western Kentucky. He sells pianos for cash or on easy payments. Address him at Madisonville, Ky.

Considerable interest is being manifested in the revival in progress at the Methodist Episcopal church, which is being conducted by Rev. Danne, the local pastor, who is assisted by Rev. Daniel Critzer. Social conversations have resulted and the services will be continued to Sunday night.

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The following parties went to Madisonville Monday night to see the play at Morton's Theatre: Mr. David Cowell and Miss Edith Kozul, Mr. C. K. Fugate and Miss Sue Ford, Mr. J. H. Long and Miss Georgia Wyatt and Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGary. They all unite in saying the play was good.

The Grand Leader of Madisonville, Morris Kohlman, Manager, has a full page ad in this week's issue of THE BEE. This firm has each year given a grand Anniversary Sale which has always been well attended and the purchasers are more than pleased with their bargains. We unhesitatingly recommend this firm to the public.

The High Art Store

Steadfastness

Of purpose to do what is right by our Customers at all times and under all circumstances has marked the onward progress of the High Art Store into popular favor for high on half-a-Century. This Spring's lines of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Hats, Caps, Shoes and Furnishings you will find to be a bid for a still wider field of popularity and service. We Retail at Factory Prices. It pays to trade with us.

WE SELL KIT MAIL
Strouse & Bros.
GENTS' OUTFITTERS
EVANSVILLE, INDIANA
Main & Second Streets

Miss Georgia Bishop has returned from New York, where she bought a very exclusive line of pattern hats, tailored hats, gage hats, street hats, ready to wear hats. Opening March 31 and April 1. You are cordially invited. Phone No. 145-2.

Notice.
List your property with me and I will sell or exchange it for you on easy terms. Real estate of all kinds bought and sold.

J. E. FAWCETT.
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Killed in California.
A telegram received from Dr. W. T. McNary, of San Jose, Cal., was received yesterday by Maj. and Mrs. Walter Powers, of Madisonville, announcing the death of their brother-in-law, Mr. Ira Pontius, by a being run over by a train. Mr. Pontius was yard master at the time of his death and had been a conductor for years.

Mr. and Mrs. Pontius were married in California the 22nd of December and early in January made a visit to Kentucky. Mrs. Pontius is a niece of Mrs. Jennie E. Moore, of this place. They were at home in Oakland, Cal., at the time of his sad death.

BISHOP & CO'S

TWO WEEK'S LACE CURTAIN SALE!

Beginning **Saturday, March 25th**, and ending **Saturday, April 8th**, 1905, we will conduct a LACE CURTAIN Sale, and we shall make it to the interest of every housekeeper to attend.

Early in December we placed our LACE CURTAIN order with one of the largest manufacturers and importers of New York, and now our immense and complete purchase, comprising effects we have not hitherto shown, is in stock ready for the GREATEST LACE CURTAIN Sale Madisonville has known.

Our assortment comprises the Very Latest effects in "Nottingham," "Cable Net" and "Brussel's Net," in White, Ivory and Arabian at a price range from **50c to \$6.00 a pair.**

10 PER CENT. DISCOUNT

With the object of crowding as big volume of business as possible into these two weeks, we shall allow on ALL LACE CURTAINS and DOOR PANNELS as well (of which we show a magnificent assortment) a universal discount of **TEN PER CENT.** And remember we are "on the heels" of House Cleaning time, too.

CLOTHING AND SHOES.

We also call attention to our Unprecedentedly Complete purchase of CLOTHING and SHOES. In CLOTHING we claim to give **Better Fit, Better Workmanship, and More for the money** than you can find elsewhere. Call special notice to the **Snug fit of coat collar—heavily padded shoulder and stiffened front.** While our Shoe Stock embraces some of the very best there is, for men, women and children. Men's Spring Shoes from \$1.25 to \$6.00. Ladies from \$1.25 to \$5.00. Children's from 50c to \$2.50. And we stand squarely behind every pair of shoes that goes out of our house.

And to still further "inspire enthusiasm"—"swell our sales"—and add to our customers' store of **seasonable merchandise bought under value** we shall, during this two week's SALE make **TELLING CUTS** on all Plain and Fancy **WHITE GOODS, BLEACHED and BROWN MUSSINS** and Apron Gingham. In fact these shall be two weeks of vital interest to every family in Hopkins County, and we herewith extend an earnest invitation to the entire public to come, see what we are doing, and reap the benefit we offer you of our own free will and accord.

Respectfully, **BISHOP & COMPANY.**

MADISONVILLE, KENTUCKY.

Your Money Back if You Want It.

CHINA—D. N'T. MIND ME, GENTLEMEN.



GEN. KUROPATKIN RETURNS FRONT

He Will Assume Command of the First Russian Army.

LINOVITCH'S LATE COMMAND

Hope Entertained in Russia That Kuropatkin's Example May Inspire the Army and Produce Reforms.

St. Petersburg, March 22.—The Russian army in Manchuria is still to have the services of Gen. Kuropatkin, who is considered by many, in spite of his series of reverses, the best general and foremost strategist of the Russian army. Sinking all feeling of personal bitterness because of his supersession, and all of the old-time enmity between himself and Gen. Linovitch in a patriotic desire to be of service to the fatherland, the former commander-in-chief of the army.

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Gen. KUROPATKIN, der-linched volunteered to remain in any capacity with the army which he had so long commanded. The tender has been accepted by Emperor Nicholas and gratefully received by the new leader of the grand army.

The change exactly reverses the old order of affairs, when Kuropatkin was the supreme leader and Linovitch directed the first army. Authoritative news of this remarkable step was known in Manchuria much earlier than in St. Petersburg.

Gen. Kuropatkin having passed on his homeward journey at Harbin, started southward the afternoon of March 20, amidst a most remarkable farewell from residents of Harbin and soldiers who are on the way to fill out the ranks of the depleted army.

The send-off was a mere foray of what awaits Gen. Kuropatkin at the front, and the equally patriotic course of Gen. Linovitch is accepting the services tendered are bound to do wonders for the reimpairment of the emperor's legions, and give promise of union and harmony at the council table which that army has hitherto lacked.

The Retreat Progressing.—The retreat is apparently progressing uneventfully. No dispatches of moment were received Tuesday.

Little weight is placed here on the deduction drawn at certain European capitals from the dispatch announcing that annihilating had been heard at the pass, that Gen. Kuropatkin's corps, endeavoring to rejoin the main army had been intercepted south of the pass.

Preparations are now making for the mobilization of a number of detachments, now, however, on a general scale, the preliminary orders sheeting but 22 districts in the governments of Odessa, Warsaw and Moscow. The grenadiers have not received orders to proceed to Manchuria, but many officers of that organization, drafted to command units now bound for the front, left Moscow Tuesday.

GIVEN A GRIEVOUS DEATH.

Came at Harbin On the Departure of Gen. Kuropatkin.

Harbin, March 22.—At the departure southward of Gen. Kuropatkin, crowded thousands of civilians and soldiers gathered at the station and gave him a great ovation. Above thundering hurrahs were heard cries of "God send you happiness." "Good-by, brother," "good-by, rather." As the train started, soldiers rushed forward in a surging crowd and grasped the hand rail of the general's car, throwing their caps in the air and raising some distance with the car.

The scene made a deep impression on Gen. Kuropatkin, down whose face his saluted again and again, and stood bareheaded on the platform as long as the train was in sight.

Residents of Harbin are uneasy and many of them are departing. Chinese are withdrawing their deposits from Chinese banks here.

A WARREN BOMB-THROWING.

Warsaw, March 22.—A bomb thrown from the window of a house in Volok street, at nine o'clock Tuesday evening, exploded in the midst of a passing patrol composed of police and infantry. Six soldiers and two policemen were dangerously wounded. They were removed to the military hospital. The assailant escaped.

Accidentally Killed Little Daughter. Ardmore, L. T., March 22.—C. West, a farmer near Thackerville, accidentally killed his four-year-old daughter. In entering his home with a shotgun the hammer caught on the door, causing it to be discharged. The contents of the gun struck the child in the head.

SECRETARY HAY'S HEALTH

If It Is Not Improved by Fall He Will Quit Cabinet.

The President, it is said, has selected Secretary of War Taft as Mr. Hay's successor.

Washington, March 21.—It is believed here that Secretary Hay will do no more work until late in the fall, and if his health then is not greatly improved he will retire from the cabinet.



SEC. OF WAR WILLIAM H. TAFT, Who May Succeed Mr. Hay as Secretary of State.

In that event it practically is certain that he will be succeeded by Secretary Taft, who is the real head of the state department while Mr. Hay is away.

The president doubts that Mr. Hay will ever be strong enough to resume his official duties, and he already has selected Mr. Taft as his successor, leaving chief political contingency now unforeseen.

A TRAGEDY AT HATTIESBURG.

Chief of Police of Hattiesburg, Miss., Kills the Secretary of a Local Social Club.

New Orleans, La., March 21.—As a result of three successive Sunday raids made by the police of Hattiesburg, Miss., on the Mississippi club, the exclusive social organization of that city, H. S. Morris, the secretary and treasurer of the club, was shot and instantly killed. Chief of Police E. O. Burkin, Burkin was standing on the corner near the club, when Morris approached him and asked him if he intended to make another raid on the club. Morris announced that he was tired of having the club raided, and it is said, reached for his pistol. Before he could shoot Burkin fired, Burkin had raised the club because it was rumored that liquor was being sold on Sundays.

TWO EXPLOSIONS IN A MINE

Two Men Killed in the First Explosion and Fourteen Rescued in the Second.

Charleston, W. Va., March 21.—As the result of the horrible explosion in the Rush Run and Red Ash mine near Thurmond, Saturday night, 24 men are dead. Ten of these were killed in the explosion Saturday night, and the other 14 were a rescuing party, who entered the mine Sunday morning to take from the mines the charred and blackened remains of their fellow workmen. These latter were killed by a second explosion of after damp.

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Miss Effie Teague, of this city, was in Madisonville Wednesday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Rainey were in Madisonville Saturday visiting.

Mrs. Craig was in Madisonville Wednesday shopping.

Dr. Renfrow was in Madisonville Wednesday on business.

Misses Clara and Maud Kelly, of Madisonville, visited the family of Mr. L. N. Clark last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weir, of Hanson, visited friends in Earlington Friday.

Mrs. Frank Keowan and Miss Sadie Stokes were in Madisonville Friday.

Tou McElvaine, of Mortons Gap, visited friends here Sunday.

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Mrs. Anderson and Miss Bessie Waller, of Hopkinsville, are visiting Mrs. E. A. Chatten.

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PERSONALS

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Mrs. Joe Hinkley visited her parents at Mortons Gap Friday.

Mrs. Frank Devylder, of this city, visited relatives in Madisonville Thursday.

Mrs. Susie Turner and son and daughter, of this city, were in Nashville Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Miller, of Sebree, was here this week on business.

Dr. and Mrs. P. B. Davis were in Madisonville Monday shopping.

Mrs. Jeff Murphy and daughter were in Madisonville Monday shopping.

Mrs. Maud Lynn was in Madisonville Monday shopping.

Mr. Ben Hale, of this place, was in Madisonville Monday on business.

Buck Shaver was in Madisonville Monday on business.

Elmo Shaver was in the county seat Monday on business.

Mrs. William Walden was in Madisonville Monday shopping.

Mr. Tom Longstaff was in Madisonville Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bramwell were in Nashville this week visiting relatives.

Jack Vhuson and Dan Yates were here Sunday visiting friends.

Curtis Lane was in Earlington and Madisonville Saturday on business.

Sam Langley, of Madisonville, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Linnie Whitfield, visited her sister, Mrs. Ed. Rule, yesterday.

Mrs. Geo. Henry, of the Browders, country, visited her sister, Mrs. J. Shaver, a few days last week.

Mr. J. J. Hendricks, of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting his sister, Mrs. P. Shaver.

Mrs. Joe Summers and sister, Miss Nora Harlan, and friend, Miss Nora Fall, of St. Charles, visited here last Friday and Saturday.

Misses Gerlie Summers, Nora Harlan and Nora Fall went to Madisonville Saturday shopping.

Mr. Joe Teague and wife, of St. Charles, visited her sister, Mrs. Joe Summers, last Friday.

Mrs. Douglas O'Brien and Miss Ellen Whalen were in Madisonville shopping yesterday.

J. R. Rash and wife left yesterday for St. Louis to buy spring goods.

Mr. McDermott, of E. A. Anderson Company, Chicago, is here and is showing an up-to-date line of goods, clothing at the Company Store.

H. D. Cowan and Jas. Maloney spent Sunday afternoon in Nebo.

Mrs. Sallie Stevens was in Hopkinsville Monday on business.

Miss Kaale Egloff, of this place, left Sunday for Hopkinsville to spend several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Jennie Kluene.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Davis have been spending the week with their grandfather, John Franklin, who has been very sick with erysipelas.

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Mrs. Harriett Browning visited friends in Madisonville Sunday.

Mr. W. A. Nesbitt, of Madisonville, spent Saturday with his daughter, Mrs. Rogers.

Mrs. Morehead and Zilpah visited in Madisonville Saturday.

Mr. W. A. Randolph went South on a trip Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Rule spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hatch Whitfield.

Margaret Kemp visited Artie Whitfield Saturday and Sunday.

Boy Wilson was out Saturday night to see "What Happened to Jones."

Judge Gordon, of the county seat, was here shaking hands with friends Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Larnouth were in Madisonville Saturday shopping.

Mrs. Edith Talliferro and Miss Emma Mills, of the county seat, visited friends here Saturday.

Mr. Ben Rash and wife, of the country, spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rash.

Misses Nell B. Carlin and Celeste A. Moore returned Sunday afternoon from a two days visit in Evansville.

Mrs. Wm. Brannon and son have returned to their North Carolina home, after three weeks visit to her parents here.

E. Hibbs, of Madisonville, Ky., representing the D. H. Baldwin Piano Company, was in Earlington Tuesday soliciting for this house.

Bryan Hopper, who has been fishing in Florida waters several weeks, returned home this week as brown as a berry. He had a delightful trip and is improved in health.

"WHAT HAPPENED TO JONES?"

One of the Best Amateur Plays That Has Been Presented to the Public for Some Time.

The people of Madisonville kindly consented to come to Earlington Saturday night and give the play "What Happened to Jones?" for the benefit of the Methodist Church South. The troupe was greeted with a full house composed of the best people in Earlington and the glad hand was extended to them on every occasion. The entire troupe played like they had made a life time business of the profession and were to the manner born.

As a matter of course, Mrs. Franchise was the star but she was ably supported by L. M. Bruce as Prof. Goodly, Ernest Donkersoon as Richard Heathcote, Ed. Young as Tom Holder, W. C. Hopewell as Rev. Anthony Goodly, L. M. Bruce as Willie Bigbee, Blount Jones as Hamma, Mrs. Lee Gibson as Mrs. Goodly, Miss Mattie Mai Alexander as Alvina Starlight, Lalla Anderson as Cissie Howard, Miss Mary Rash as Majorie, Miss Minerva Goodly as Miss Helen Givins.

The audience applauded vociferously and showed their appreciation in many ways and a vote of thanks is hereby tendered for the courtesy shown.

Observations In Brief.

(William J. Birtcher.)

"Crooks" get in straits.

Don't borrow books, buy them.

How can a head with nothing in it "rattle"?

Even the plow has its share of dirt and rust.

Some people's eyes are brighter than their brains.

Messrs. "I-am-going-to" and "Never-doers" are brothers.

The reckless youth will not be week-less in later years.

You may lead a Kittenback to drink, but you cannot make him take water.

The man who thinks there is no hell will change his mind when he gets there.

The man in the auto should remember that the man on the horse got there first.

The average man is not in business for his health—and the doctors are glad of it.

The biggest liar on earth maybe telling the truth when he exclaims "Well, I'll be damned!"

The man who tanks up will never climb up. Even a locomotive is going down hill when its tank's up.

The young man who argues that there is no harm in taking a glass now and then will know better than now.

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There is talk of a new telephone line through these parts and doubtless many people will be ready when the time comes to see the various communities support two systems instead of one. Without any desire to be unduly friendly to one system or to appear hostile to another, THE BEE does not hesitate to say that the advent of two telephone systems into any community brings confusion to business men and women and to any who have much use for the telephone. Both their wires and their worries are multiplied. They must have both lines if they would be in touch with the users of telephones. They must keep after two managers instead of one, to keep their talking boxes in order. They must remember or search two indexes instead of one when they want "Number?" Must pay two bills monthly instead of one. Beyond question the ideal service is that which reaches everybody in a given field who uses the telephone, through one well regulated system with one set of wires and well kept instruments, at a reasonable and a satisfactory monthly toll. Telephone companies, by whatever name—whether prefixed by—"Home" or "Heaven"—are in the business for the filthy lucre, and whether there be rate wars or special concessions temporarily, all must come presently to the basis of reasonable profit earning and in the end the community supports and must use two systems where one would serve its ends more conveniently.

The neighborliness of our friends of the Madisonville Dramatic club has been most pleasantly commented upon since their benefit production here Saturday night of "What Happened to Jones." The historic ability of the entire club is recognized as of unusually high character for amateurs who produce but an occasional play. But, as much as their work was enjoyed by those who were fortunate enough to hear them, the good, neighborly, helpful feeling that prompted their coming and permeated their work was the part of the performance that will be remembered long after the mirth-provoking acts are forgotten.

* Tax only hope for bloody Breathitt seems to have been in the isolation of the Hargises in the Fayette county jail. According to the testimony adduced the Hargis clan appear to have had everything intimidated in their home county, including the grand jury. The foreman of that body says that Alex Hargis entered the grand jury room and frightened the jury into adjournment. If the Fayette court does not keep these terrorists in safety it will have failed once to arise to a great opportunity to best serve the State.

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FLOURSAP DEPOSITS

Product of Kentucky-Illinois District and Uses it Serves.

PITTSBURG DETERMINES THE PRICES.

Mr. H. Foster Bain of the United States Geological Survey has recently written a report on the most important floursap area in the United States. It is in Pope and Hardin counties, in the extreme southern portion of Illinois. The area forms the northern part of the Kentucky-Illinois district. Mr. Bain's report is intended to supplement a fuller discussion of the district in general and the Kentucky mines in particular, which Messrs. E. O. Ulrich and W. S. Taubler Smith, also of the United States Geological Survey, will soon bring out.

The Kentucky-Illinois district is the only main American source of floursap, but it is the only one from which spar reaches the general market. Since 1882 the district has produced 200,000 tons of spar, having a total value of \$1,261,029. There is no data for determining the production of the Illinois mines separately.

Prices for floursap are fixed by Pittsburgh quotations, less freight and commission. At Pittsburgh the American spar comes into competition with English and German material imported through New York. The American mines supply the eastern market and about half of the Pittsburgh demand. The importers control the eastern trade and determine prices at Pittsburgh.

There are three main uses for floursap. The highest grade, which runs less than 1 per cent of silica and is white in color, is sold either ground or in lump, for use in the enameling, chemical, and glass trades. The second grade of spar is used in steel making and is sold in ground as lump or gravel. It includes colored spar and may run as high as 4 per cent silica. It is demanded for open hearth work, because of the great fluidity which it gives the slag. The lowest grade of spar, including all running over 4 per cent silica, or spar mixed with calcite, can be used in foundry work, and while the price is and always must be low, there is possible an almost unlimited market. It is evident that the floursap mines of the Kentucky-Illinois district will have for many years an important and growing market to supply.

Mr. Bain believes that the area will prove permanent in depth to horizons below which they can not be worked because of increasing cost. The low value of the ore places a somewhat severe limitation on the future depth of mining, and it is possible that this feature alone will in most situations preclude work to a depth greater than 1000 feet.

This report is published for general distribution. It may be obtained on application to the Director of the United States Geological Survey, Washington, D. C., for Bulletin No. 255.

Editing a newspaper is a nice thing. If we publish jokes people say we are rattle brained; if we don't we are fossils. If we publish original matter they say we don't give them enough selections; if we give them selections they say we are too lazy to write. If we don't go to church we are heathens; if we do go we are hypocrites. If we remain at the office we ought to be out looking for news; if we go out then we are not attending to business. If we wear old clothes they laugh at us; if we wear good clothes they say we have a pull. Now, what are we to do? Just as likely as not some one will say that we stole this from an exchange. So we dit. It's from the Wyoming Derrick.

This country produced 60,000,000 pounds of sugar last year, or over seven pounds for every man, woman and child in the country. But this was not a market; what it imported or to the total consumption, which was 1,200,000,000 pounds or 75 pounds per capita. "It is difficult for the average man to realize," says the Washington Post, "that he uses half his weight in sugar every year." The American sweet tooth is the biggest in the world. Judging by other people, Americans eat and drink too much sugar stuff. In addition to half their weight in sugar every year there is maple sugar stuff, and the nation is sweetening in fruit and other articles of diet.

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POLITICAL POINTS.

Judge Thos. H. Paynter, of the Court of Appeals, has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator to succeed Senator Blackburn, subject to the action of the caucus of the next legislature. He will be supported by Gov. Beckham and his friends.

Proper Treatment of Pneumonia.
Pneumonia is too dangerous a disease for anyone to attempt to doctor himself, although he may have the proper remedies at hand. A physician should always be called. It should be borne in mind, however, that pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of the grip, and that by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the threatened attack of pneumonia may be ward off. This remedy is also used by physicians in the treatment of pneumonia with the best results. Dr. W. J. Smith, of Sanders, Ala., who is also a druggist, says of it: "I have been selling Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and prescribing it in my practice for the past six years. I use it in cases of pneumonia and have always gotten the best results." For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; B. T. Robinson, Mortons (Iap); Jno. X. Taylor, Earlington.

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NORTH BOUND.

No. 52, local pass, 10:46 a. m.
No. 64, local pass, 11:26 p. m.
No. 92, local pass, 6:30 p. m.
No. 70, local pass, 8:30 p. m.
No. 72, local pass, 3:25 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 51, local pass, 4:07 p. m.
No. 53, local pass, 4:35 a. m.
No. 93, local pass, 11:52 p. m.
No. 63, local pass, 3:15 p. m.
No. 71, local pass, 10:15 a. m.

I. C. R. R. TIME CARD.

Time of departure of Illinois Central trains from Nortonville, Ky.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 102, local pass, 1:28 p. m.
No. 104, local pass, 3:51 a. m.
No. 122, local pass, 10:35 a. m.
No. 180, local pass, 1:28 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 101, local pass, 1:08 p. m.
No. 103, local pass, 1:40 a. m.
No. 121, local pass, 1:28 p. m.
No. 185, local pass, 8:49 a. m.

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News for the Farmer

EARLINGTON CITY MARKET.

Corrected Weekly By W. C. McLeod.

Corn, per bushel, 50c.
Meal, per bushel, 80c.
Wheat, per bushel, \$1.25.
Potatoes, sweet, per bushel, \$1.20.
Potatoes, Irish, per bushel, 80c.
Sorghum Molasses, per gallon, 50c.
Onions, per bushel, \$1.25.
Hams, country, 12½c.
Shoulders, 8c.
Lard, 8½c, 10c, 12½c.
Honey, per pound, 12½c.
Butter, good country, 25c.
Oats, per bushel, 45c.
Timothy Hay, per ton, \$12.00.
Clover Seed, \$7.00.
Hogs, \$4.00.
Sheep and Lambs, \$3.00 and \$3.40.
Cattle, \$2.00 and \$2.50.
Calves, \$3.00 and \$5.00.
New Feathers, per pound, 50c.
Beeswax, per pound, 20c.
Green Hides, salted, No. 1, 10c.
Green Hides, unsalted, 8c.
Lambskins, 85c and 40c.
Tub washed Wool, 30c.
Greased Wool, 20c.
Eight Berry Wood, 16c and 18c.
Heavy Berry Wood, 14 to 15c.
Eggs, per doz., 25c.
Chickens, frying size, \$1.50 to \$3.00 per doz.
Hens, \$2.50 to \$3.00 per doz.
Turkey, 12½c.

According to the crop report, issued last week by the Agricultural Department the percentage of wheat remaining in the hands of the farmers is 20.1 or 111,000,000; of corn 38.7 per cent or 954,000,000 bushels; of oats 4.88 per cent or 317,000,000 bushels.

An effective way to prevent early swelling of fruit buds, which are thus liable to get nipped by a late spring frost, is to spray with whitewash. White surfaces, it is well known, will not readily absorb the sun's rays, and experiments have shown that treatment of this sort on peach trees has delayed blooming nearly a week.

Ideal Saddle Horse.

The ideal saddle horse is from 15 to 16 hands high, short-backed and well coupled. It has this, high withers, a long, well-arched neck and a long, keen ear well set on the head. The tail should be set high on the rump, and the rump itself should be somewhat sloping. The horse should have, besides, flat, sinewy bones in its legs and a medium-sized foot.—Country Life in America.

Hot Water Baths.

The best toilet preparation in the world is plain hot water. Drink a bowl of it every night if you want a good digestion, a good sleep and a clear complexion.

Put a bag of it to your feet when you have a cold; to your back when you have a backache, or at the nape of your neck when

you have a headache or feel sleepy.

Bathe the eyes with it when they are inflamed. Soak the feet in it when they are tired. Soak the hands in it before manucuring.

Steam the face with it once a week for your complexion.

Bathe the cheeks in it when you want them to be rosy.

Bathe cold sores, fever blisters and pimples in very hot water to dry them up.

Like a patent medicine, a single dose of "hot water bag" will cure toothache, neuralgia, rheumatism and pains of all kinds. Try a free sample from the family teakettle.

Statistics on Farming.

Astonishing figures are given by P. F. Hennigan, chairman of the transportation committee of the Fruit and Produce Exchange in a report on the wealth of the farms of the country, says a Boston telegram to which a Boston Press. In reviewing the increase in farm capital he asserts that a conservative estimate would place the amount at \$2,000,000, and this is apart from the changed land values in the last two years.

Mr. Hennigan, who is one of the most prominent business men in the city, says the wealth of the farmers reduced to figures is nothing short of startling. His report has the indorsement of all the members of the committee, who unite in praising it as a conservative document.

"After a careful estimate of the value of the farm products for 1904," reads the report, "made within the census scope, it is safe to say it will amount to \$1,000,000,000, after excluding the value of the farm crops fed to live stock, in order to avoid duplication of value. This is 9.65 per cent of the value of 1903, and is 31.28 per cent above that of 1899.

"The unthinkable value, aggregating \$2,000,000,000, shows that farms have produced in two years wealth exceeding the output of all the gold mines in the world since Columbus discovered America. This year's product is more than six times the amount of the capital stock of all the national banks; it stacks only three-quarters of a billion of dollars of the value of the manufactures of 1900, less the cost of the material used; it is three times the gross earnings from the operations of the railroads, and it is four times the value of all the mineral products of the country.

"The year 1904, the report states, kept well up the average of exports of farm products during the time between 1899 and

1903, and amounted to \$850,000,000, while the average for five years was nearly \$805,000,000."

Henyard Pickings.

Nothing makes hens lay like green bone.

The best way to make a hen happy and start her singing is to give her something to do.

High time to get ready for spring work. Breeding pens, coops, cages, nest-boxes, feed-troughs make now.

These late hatches will be laying in March and April while the early broods are hatching out their first clutches.

The production of feathers in either young or old fowls will be materially assisted by a liberal supply of bone and shell.

Some burn the bones, then crush them, but while this is good it is not nearly as good as the fresh bone. The best way to feed bones is to put them through a mill.

The little things count for much about the poultry house. To clean the house every day is a small affair, but it will do much to prevent losses from the presence of disease and lice.

At this time especial care should be taken to keep a supply of bone meal and oyster shell convenient for the fowls.

How to Test Eggs.

There are many old ways of testing the freshness of eggs. Some of them may be of little value. Here is one that is going the rounds, but for which we cannot vouch. It may be all right: Eggs are placed in a pan of water, giving each room enough so that its motions will not be interfered with by the others. The air in the egg will be governed according to the age of the egg, if the egg has been kept in a moderately warm state.

If the eggs are just laid they will be motionless. If they are more than a week old they will partly stand on the little end. This is because the air chamber is in the other end of the egg. This air chamber grows larger as the egg becomes older and the moisture in it evaporates. When the eggs get still older they will stand up straight in the water and when very old will float.

This test, of course, says the Farmers' World, would be of no value in the case of pickled eggs or eggs kept in cold storage where the temperature was so low that the evaporation of moisture from the eggs would be very small.

READ THIS

Bowling Green, Ky., June 12, 1901.
—Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo.—
Dear Sir: We have been selling your Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, for two years and can recommend it to any one suffering with kidney trouble as being the best remedy we have ever sold.

Yours truly,
W. C. MORRIS & Co.

A TEXAS WONDER

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, genital eruptions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women; regulates bladder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist it will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. box 929, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

Advertised Letters.

For week ending March 22, 1905.
John Cook, Paralel Carter, Norvell Bradley, Edward C. Atkinson, Richard Grady, Frank Graves, Harry Finch, Will Johnson, Jesse Long, Lela Lacy, Lockie Martin, Geo. W. McClure, Wm. Tyler, Lizzie Tyler, Vickory Brown, and Mary Noel.
C. G. ROBINSON, P. M.

Sewing Wanted.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church, South, solicit your plain sewing. Cutting and fitting will be done each Monday afternoon from two until five. For further particulars and prices call on Mrs. J. E. King, Mrs. Kate Withers, or any member of the society. 4-1.

Pay your subscription.

1905

Easter Opening.
Beginning March 30th.
Newest Styles in Tailor made Suits
and .Sabbath Patterns.
Representing the Very Latest ideas in
Spring and Summer Millinery.
You are Cordially invited to call.
Respectfully,
Anna C. Rice.
Earlington, Ky.



What's the Matter with Now?

There is a time for everything—even spring carriage buying. Right now you've time to choose, time to be waited on, time to change your mind. Right now we've time to explain, discuss and help you decide. Everything that is new and stylish in Buggies, Surries, Runabouts and Bikes will be found on our floors. We've the carriage for you—no doubt about it. Come in and see how well we are liked and how easy priced the goods are.

The Jones Buggy Company.
Manufacturers of the Buggy That Wears.
MADISONVILLE, KY.



Arrivals of
... New ...
Spring Suits.



Our second shipment of Spring Clothing has arrived, with more to follow. If you have been waiting for the good news, you have been well rewarded, for we never had so many new, up to date suits to show you as at the present time. They embody all that goes to make good clothes. Don't buy your spring suit until you have seen our line. Your money's worth or your money back.

ASHBY & BAKER,

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SHINGLES,
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ALWAYS IN STOCK AND CAN SHIP PROMPTLY.

THE RUBY LUMBER CO.,

TELEPHONE 43

Madisonville,

Kentucky.

MINING NOTES.

Foreman Jno. Carroll, of Victoria mines, was here Friday on business.

Mr. Em Goodloe, who has been ill for sometime, is improving. Mr. Nick Straker, after an illness of several weeks, has resumed work again.

Arrangements are being made by the Nortonville Coal Company to sink an air shaft at their new mine which they recently opened at that place.

Mr. James Lonstaff, of Nortonville, visited relatives here last Thursday.

The boat, W. W. O'Neil, lost six barges of coal by collision with a pier on the L. & N., bridge at Henderson last Friday. The boat was en route from Pittsburgh to southern points when the accident happened.

A new coal mine has been opened at Nelson, near Rockport, in Ohio county. The company expects to make their first shipment by April 1st.

The engine house of the Thos. Blackwell Coal & Mining Company at Clay, was destroyed by fire one night last week. The hoisting engine and compressed air machinery were ruined but the boilers were saved. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Estimates of the production of coal during the past year indicate an output nearly as great as in 1903, when the production of bituminous coal was 285,000,000 tons and of anthracite 50,000,000 tons, a total of 334,000,000. In 1904, the output of anthracite was 57,492,522 tons and the estimated production of bituminous coal 281,000,000 tons, a total of 338,000,000 tons.

Mr. T. R. Farquhar, who is employed at the carpenter shop at No. 9 mine, had the misfortune to fall from a pile of lumber last week and sprain his left shoulder and injure one of his knees very badly. He is able to be around but it will be sometime before he can resume his regular work.

No. 9 mine was idle Tuesday. Weighman Jno. Barnett says that the local coal trade still continues good.

Former Secy-Treas. J. D. Wood, of the miners' union, was excluded from the conference of operators and miners at Louisville Tuesday, as the operators stated he would be. No agreement had been reached up to Tuesday night and the operators seemed to want as few disturbing elements in the meeting as possible. Wood was excluded as being a disturbing element.

Mr. Roy Parker, who was injured by falling in front of a loaded trip of cars at Arnold mine a few days ago, is improving. Roy had a narrow escape from death for after being caught by the cars and having his right foot and hand mangled he was dragged a short distance before he could extricate himself from his perilous position.

The new piece of machinery that had been ordered to replace the broken part at the air compressor arrived last Friday and has been placed in position.

A preliminary survey has been made from Brooksville to Mt. Olivet in Backen county for the purpose of building a railroad through this territory. It is the intention of the promoters of the road to extend their line into the coal fields of Eastern Kentucky.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

Wanted—To purchase a home in Earlington. Apply at this office, if

To Cure a Cold in One Day
 Take **Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets**. *E. H. Green*
 Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months. This signature, *E. H. Green* on every box, 25c.

Does Your Throat Trouble You?

In order to prevent absolutely that we can cure you of all maladies pertaining to Coughs, Colds, and All Throat and Lung Troubles, Whooping Cough, Croup, Bronchitis, Asthma and Sore Throat, we will give you an order on your drug list and pay him for a bottle of **DR. OTTO'S SPRUCE GUM BALSAM** a strictly scientific compound of peculiar virtue, **MADE FROM THE RED SPRUCE TREE**. The MOST STUBBORN COUGHS not only immediately yield to this remedy but are speedily and permanently cured.

Our Free Proposition

FIRST BOTTLE FREE. If you need Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam and have never tried it, please send us the coupon herewith. We will then send you an order on your drug list for a bottle of Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam free of charge. This is our free gift, made to convince you to show you Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam can do it. To accept it place your name on our obligation whatever.

What can one expect to get for nothing? The fact of the matter is, you can't. But Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam we do claim. We claim it is the best and give it away if there was any doubt of it. You want those results—you want to be well. Won't you let us, at least, try it on the way?

Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam is sold in two sizes, 25c and 50c

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For this offer may not expire rapidly. Fill out the blank and mail it to The American Pharmaceutical Co., Knoxville, Ind.

My disease is _____

I have never tried Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam, but if you will supply me the bottle free I will take it and recommend it to my friends.

Give full Address. Write Plainly.

For Sale by St. Bernard Drug Store Earlington, and Geo. King St. Charles.

NEBO NOTES.

We took a three-day tramp last week through our neighboring county, Webster. We found everything flourishing and the farmers much encouraged over the outlook.

A stock company is being formed in Dixon for the purpose of building a cannery. Why not have something of the kind here.

Parties knowing themselves indebted to THE BEE will confer a favor on THE BEE agent at Nebo by calling and settling.

D. C. Morrow accompanied by his wife left Monday for Louisville and Cincinnati.

J. D. Bobbit returned Monday from Louisville, where he had been on business with the bank.

Dr. Ferguson acted as cashier during the absence of Mr. Hobbes.

Rev. J. D. Dowe, who has spent the winter here, has rented the farm of Mr. Millard Harris and will withdraw from the Loafing Club and watch his own make a crop.

James Boyd, of Slaughterville spent Sunday night with Calvin Vandy, returning Monday.

Miss Blanche Hill left several days ago for Louisville to buy a spring stock of millinery for D. C. Morrow, and will offer a line of millinery at prices that defy competition.

A buggy ride was found on our streets and was claimed by a certain party who refuses to explain how or under what circumstances it was lost. He came home sometime in the night and unharnessed his horse without missing the bridle. This bridle was found a half mile from the place that the horse was unharnessed. Explanations are in order.

Quite a snug little sun was realized from the entertainment given by the ladies of the M. E. Church. The money will be used by them for the benefit of the parsonage.

A. Barnett left Monday for a trip of several days duration.

Mrs. Gracie Lutz, of Stanhope, visited at Colton last week.

Miss Grace Hill, of Madisonville, is visiting here this week.

Last week was the banner week for tobacco in Nebo. The estimate being six hundred thousand pounds. Seventy-four thousand nine hundred pounds was the largest amount received at the Hodge factory in one day. Nearly twenty thousand dollars was paid to the farmers for tobacco at this place this week. As a result business revived and our merchants are much encouraged.

A charcoal last Monday night given to the newly married couple caused considerable alarm by the tremendous explosion of dynamite which took place about 1 o'clock at night and was heard in all the surrounding country.

A saw mill located about three miles south of this place had an explosion one night last week. The mill had been running during the day and about sunset they stopped for supper. While the hands were at supper the explosion occurred, completely demolishing the mill and all the machinery connected with it. One piece of the boiler, estimated to weigh one thousand pounds, was supposed to have gone over the timber, causing considerable timber stood between where it stopped and where it started.

Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured. William Shaffer, a brakeman at Deunion, Ohio, was confined to his bed for several weeks with inflammatory rheumatism. "I used many remedies," he says. "Finally I sent to McCaw's drug store for a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, at which time I was unable to use hand or foot, and in one week's time was able to go to work as happy as a clam."

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We've Hired Uncle Sam

As our agent to SHOW and SELL our new line of clothing, we have hired Uncle Sam with us in better than a Government suit. This is a special offering of men's

Spring Suits at \$10 & \$15

They are Black, Blue, and Brown, with vest and fancy Casimere and Worsted, for business wear. They are GUARANTEED ALL-WOOL and made in thoroughly up-to-date styles. What wear you do is to be written and ask for samples and measure books—sending you our THIS ad in 10 days.

Our line is the largest and oldest house in our line in the South. We own our building and have done business on the same spot for over FORTY YEARS. We sell CLOTHING, HATS and FURNISHINGS for men and boys, SHOES for everybody. We PAY EXTENSIVE ADVERTISING and sell all goods SUBJECT TO APPROVAL, and look for all here free on request. Let us hear from you.

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The Farmers Supply Company Of Madisonville

Handle all kinds of supplies the farmers need in the way of OATS, HERDS GRASS, TIMOTHY, CLOVER SEED.

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At the lowest prices. In addition to this we have the **BEST MEAT MARKET** in Madisonville. Your trade is respectfully solicited.

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MRS. D. L. STEVE OF MADISONVILLE

Has just returned from market, with a full line of fashionable millinery, which will be ready for inspection within a few days, and has engaged Miss Griffith, of Indianapolis, who has had a number of years' experience as trimmer, who promises every thing new and up to date.

Call and Inspect Before Buying

DAWSON SPRINGS LETTER.

Wilbur Franklin, Darganville's progressive merchant, was in town Thursday on business.

Dawson's brass band and several couples spent Thursday evening with Miss Ola Logan at Charleston. A number of the young folks passed off the evening by dancing.

Fred Fox and Ruth Thornberry, of Crabtree, were business callers here Friday.

An informal dance, was given by Miss Vera Kirkwood at her home last Wednesday evening. Those present were: Misses Essie Woodruff, Della Rider, Pearl Bates, Alma Townsend and Vera Kirkwood; Messrs. Clyde, Ralph and Chas. Lewis, James Price and Pearl Williams.

L. C. Lissman returned Friday from Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dulin moved to Crofton Friday. Mr. Dulin will run a dry-goods store.

Amos Morgan came home Saturday from Bowling Green. He is now ready for a school.

J. L. Townsend, of St. Charles, spent Sunday with his family here.

John Harris, of Crabtree, was a Sunday visitor here.

Coy Creekmur, of Princeton, was here Sunday.

W. B. Randolph, Claxton, came over Sunday on business.

Mrs. Baker and daughter, Miss Birdie, of Princeton, came Sunday to the guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. I. N. Day.

The Dawson Springs brass band spent Sunday at Piney. It was the first trip for the city of Dawson this season.

Frank Lewis returned to Auburn, Ky., last Saturday afternoon.

Dora Beshears, of Memphis, arrived Saturday to be the guest of her brother, Abe Beshears, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Woodruff left Sunday for Linton, Ind., to visit relatives and to attend to business.

Bennie Noel is spending this week with his uncle at Scottsburg.

Misses Pearl Bates, Essie and Alou Woodruff are spending this week with relatives in the country.

Lee Dixon left Sunday for Linton, Ind., to run a pool room for Joe Woodruff.

Miss Willie Nagers, of Gallatin, Tenn., came Saturday to visit her father at the New Southern Hotel.

W. B. Lewis was in Hopkinsville and Nashville last week looking for a location for his saw mill. They will leave sometime in the near future for Hopkinsville.

Jim McGregor, of Dalton, moved here last week.

Miss Ivy Alexander returned Friday from a two months visit in Tex.

Mrs. A. E. Orton returned Sunday from an extended visit to Indiana and Illinois.

A. E. Orton is traveling in the South for the Dawson Sals and Water Company.

D. N. McDermott, of Louisville, spent Sunday at the New Century.

Sunday evening at 6 o'clock Miss Mary Blackburn and Frank McNight were joined in the holy bonds of wedlock at the former's home 1 1/2 miles East of town.

John Day, the little son of I. N. Day, is very sick.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Caudle, last week, a baby girl.

John Bates came home from Paducah Sunday to visit his mother.

Surprise Party.

A large number of friends met at the residence of Mrs. Deshon last night and chaperoned by her went to the home of Mr. Jewel Webb on Railroad street to bid farewell and wish him success before his departure for Bowling Green tomorrow where he will attend school. Delicious refreshments were served after several games had been played and at a late hour the guests departed for their homes.

Every time a prohibitionist sees a farmer's wife waiting outside in the cold on a farm wagon while her husband is in a saloon enjoying a drink or two, he naturally wonders that there are not more Carrie Nations.

PARKER'S HAIR BALM
 Cures itching scalp, dandruff, and keeps the hair soft and glossy. Sold by all druggists.

JOB WORK
 Will receive prompt attention at this office. Estimates furnished upon application.

FISCO CURE FOR
 Cures all kinds of skin diseases, itching, and burning. Sold by all druggists.

WAKELIF CHILDREN.
 For a long time the two year old child of Mr. P. L. McPherson, 50 S. Tenth St., Harrisburg, Pa., would sleep but two or three hours in the early part of the night, which made it very hard for her parents. Her mother concluded that the child had stomach trouble, and gave her half of one of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, which quieted her stomach and allowed the whole night through. Two boxes of these Tablets effected a permanent cure and she is now well and strong.

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DISFIGURED WITH ECZEMA

Under Physicians Five Months. Went from Bad to Worse.

CURED BY CUTICURA

Wonderful Change in One Night. In a Month Face Was Clean as Ever.

"I was troubled with eczema on the face for five months, during which time I was in the care of physicians. My face was in such a condition that I could not go out. It was going from bad to worse and I gave up all hope, when a friend of mine highly recommended Cuticura remedies. The first night after I washed my face with Cuticura Soap and used Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Resolvent it changed wonderfully, and continuing the treatment it removed all scales and itching. From that day I was able to go out, and in a month my face was as clean as ever."

THOMAS J. SMITH, 317 Stagg St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

THE AGONIZING

Itching and Burning of the Skin
 As in eczema, the frightful scaling, as in psoriasis, the loss of hair and crusting of scalp, as in scalded head; the facial disfigurement, as in pimples and ringworm; the awful suffering of infants, and anxiety of worried parents, as in milk crust, scurf, and salt rheum—all demand a remedy of almost superhuman virtues to successfully cope with them. That Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills are such stands proven beyond all doubt. The purity and effectiveness, the power to afford immediate relief, the certainty of speedy and permanent cure, the absolute safety and great economy have made them the standard skin cures of the civilized world. Absolutely pure.

Sold throughout the world. Cuticura Resolvent, the blood purifier, is sold in bottles of 50 cents, 1 dollar, and 2 dollars. Prepared by Dr. J. C. Williams, Lowell, Mass. U. S. Pat. 1,100,000. Sold by all druggists.

HECLA NEWS.

Hecla is on quite a boom at present. Three new houses being in various stages of erection.

Mrs. A. J. Wilson has purchased a couple of new houses on the corner which he anticipates building a dwelling.

Mr. Hale's new house will soon be completed. It is built on the site of the old one, which was recently burned.

Mr. McChord's house is growing rapidly.

Mrs. Mary Hogan has been sick for the past few days.

Mr. T. L. Bell, of Greenville, preached at the church last week. We hope to have him with us again.

Mrs. Jas. Oldham and son, Cleveland, of St. Charles, were the guests of Mrs. Frank Stokes Monday.

Miss George Bostick has been spending a few days with Mrs. Will Vinson, of Earlington, whose father is quite sick.

Mrs. Jno. Longstaff visited her mother, Mrs. Wm. Jennings last week.

Miss Ida Martin has been the guest of Misses Sue and Mamie Ford.

Mr. Jno. S. Hamble left Friday morning to visit his mother, who is very ill.

Mrs. Frank Stokes was very much indisposed for a few days last week.

Mrs. Will Spence was here visiting home people, a few days since.

Misses Fannie, Connie and Emma Roosa; Messrs. Henry Sweeney and Marion Hamby; Mr. and Mrs. Cavanaugh were all the guests of Mrs. Luther Hamby last Sunday.

Miss Mamie Junn has been visiting Mrs. Cavanaugh this week.

Mr. Jas. D. Greer has been spending a few days at his old home at Ridgester, Tenn.

Miss Blanche Wilson is visiting at Mr. Billy Wilson's this week.

Mrs. Crowell and children were the guests of Mrs. Jas. Greer last Thursday.

Wakelife Children.
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COLORED COLUMN

EDITED BY J. H. BOUGH.

Rev. Galbreath of Dixon, was in our city last week.

Mrs. E. Patterson who is at the home of her parents, Rev. H. Amos and wife, is improving.

Wm. Epps is able to be out again.

Rev. Mary Mills preached at the C. M. E. church several nights last week.

Rev. C. C. Marks of McNary Chapel, preached at Zion church Sunday night to a large audience.

Prof. J. W. Robertson visited the Zion School Sunday morning and gave the school a very interesting lecture.

Let every person come out tonight to the mass meeting at Zion church.

Those on the pick list this week are: Little Carrie L. Radford and sister, Mrs. B. C. Childers and Sally Warders.

Rev. E. H. Edmondson passed through our city Monday en route to Madisonville.

We are ready to acknowledge that some of our people are becoming a disgrace to the race. We have here in the town of Earlington three church edifices, two halls and several lodges and nearly every person in the town young and old belong to some church or lodge. Several of them belong to all the lodges in town and the church too. The opportunities for making and mending ideas and women are better in Earlington than any town in Kentucky and its a shame before God and good citizenship to allow these God sent chances to pass ungrasped.

We call upon every good man and woman to rise up against the evil prevailing here and which will soon ruin our race beneath the smiles of a just God.

Every true loyal citizen is invited to attend the next meeting on Thursday night at the A. M. E. church. From thence the meeting will go from church to church once a week.

Carrie Alexander is visiting in Madisonville.

Mrs. Gordon left for Kansas City, Mo., Thursday night.

Mr. McGary and wife of Seebree, have moved back to Earlington.

The entertainment and rally for the benefit of the A. M. E. church last week was a success.

A mass meeting was called last Thursday night for the purpose of devising some plan to better the conditions of our people here in Earlington. It was said that every colored church in the town was in debt and comparatively speaking without a schoolhouse and our people are throwing away hundreds of dollars every month foolishly.

HECLA NEWS-COLORED.

Charley Sugg and wife drove over to Madisonville last Thursday on business.

Tom Logan and wife are house-keeping in Hecla again.

Saml. Offutt, of Earlington, was the guest of Mrs. Tilman Townsel last Saturday.

Ella Logan, of Madisonville, visited her sister, Mrs. Alfred Fletcher, last Saturday.

Quite a number of our people were in Madisonville Friday.

Mrs. Jimmie Ford entertained a number of friends at her home last Thursday evening.

Alfred Fletcher and wife visited their parents in Madisonville Saturday and Sunday.

Mary Lizzie Raab was over to see Rosie Quarles last Sunday.

Little Lizzie Quarles, who has been very ill, is improving.

Henry Ray and Frank Taudy were in Hecla Sunday.

The young Christian people of Hecla church have bible reading every Sunday evening. All are invited to attend.

James Gray is ill with rheumatism this week.

Meadames Cornelia West, Abel Bryant and Estella Eaves were in Madisonville Friday shopping.

How's This?
 We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

WALDIS, KINN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

500 Pairs of Ladies'
Kid Gloves worth \$1,
Sale Price.....**53c**

The Best \$10 Suit on
the Market, During
This Sale.....**\$7.50**

Our Sixth Annual Anniversary Sale!

As every reader is well aware of the fact that it has been customary with us ever since we have located here opening our doors to the public on April 1st., 1899, and up to the present, making full six years before this people, that we have given our customers and the general buying public a **ONE DAY'S ANNIVERSARY SALE** at the end of each year, which has always been successful, and in fact, beyond our expectations and now that this day has grown to such large proportions and the crowds became so large, making it impossible for us to get a large enough force to handle the eager buyers and also by especial request of many of our best customers requesting us to extend the time as they are never able to be waited on during the one day that we held the sale and we have considered these many requests from time to time and find ourselves compelled to grant the wishes of our friends this time by extending this sale and giving everyone an opportunity of getting many of the extraordinary good bargains that we always offer during Our Anniversary Sale. So have set the following time to hold our annual sale during which time we hope to be able to wait on every one attending.

Sale Begins Saturday, April 1st, Closes Saturday, April 8.

10,000 yards American Calicoes, best grades, all colors.....4c
5,000 yards Hope Bleached Cotton, 4-1 only.....6c
5,000 yards Brown Cotton, full 4-4 cloth, Anniversary price.....4 1/2c
2,500 yards Best Sea Island Brown Cotton, yd wide.....6c
Good selection Sea Island Shirting Percales, per yd.....10c
Shirting Checks and Stripes in new patterns, only.....4 1/2c
Best grade Apron Checks, guaranteed to not fade.....4 1/2c
15 patterns in Dotted Swiss, all new designs.....10c
Bleached Table Linen in 63 inches wide only.....22 1/2c
All Linen Table Cloth in white and half bleached.....49c
Best grade Mercerized Damask, extra wide.....48c
Pure German Linen Table Damask 2 yards wide.....79c
Best grade Linen Napkins to match above goods.....\$1.25
Large Huck Towels, extra size and grade, per doz.....\$1.00
Extra quality and immense size Huck Towels, worth 20c, Anniversary price.....10c
Best 25 cent Huck Towels on the market, during Anniversary sale only.....19c
1,000 yards Wash Silks in all colors, for waists and children's dresses, Sale price.....23c
White Japanese Silk, 23 inches wide, sells for 50c regularly. Our price.....38c
100 new styles in Silk Skirt Waist suits, all leading patterns, only.....50c yd
Black Taffetta Silk, yard wide, during this sale only, per yard only.....59c
Extra heavy good Taffetta, retailed at \$1.35 elsewhere, Anniversary price.....\$1.10
Poi De Soie Silk, 36 inches wide, fine weave and all silk, Sale price per yard.....58c

Silk Mull, for the fine airy season dress, worth 25c a yard, Sale price.....17 1/2c
Pongie Silk, yard wide, sold always at \$1.00 per yard, during this sale special.....75c
French White Lawn 42 inches wide, worth 17 1/2 cents, sale price.....12 1/2c
Better grade, sold at 21 cents, French Lawn forty-two inches wide.....17 1/2c
500 pairs of ladies' fine Kid Gloves, all colors, manufacturer's samples, worth \$1.00. Positively no changes after leaving the house. To close the lot.....53c
1,200 pairs Ladies' Black Seamless Hose, worth 10c, this sale 2 pair for.....15c
10-4 White Bed Spread, new design, edges all hemmed, Anniversary price.....59c
Ladies' Summer and Batiste Corsets, in white, blue and pink, only.....25c
Ladies' Nonrustable Summer and Light Weight Materials New Style Corsets.....41c
Best grade American Beauty Corsets, all the latest shapes, only.....83c
Ladies' Low Cut Oxfords, in new toe and heel, big value.....98c
Genuine Dongola Oxfords, regular \$1.50 grade, in new styles.....\$1.20
Best Ladies' Shoe on the market in 14 different styles, every pair guaranteed to give satisfaction.....\$1.48
All over Patent Oxford and also Patent Shoe in this sale, only.....\$2.00
The best Men's Shoe for honest wear in the world, solid throughout, only.....\$1.48
Fine Dress Shoe for Sunday use, always sells for \$2.50, our Anniversary price will be.....\$1.98
Here is the biggest money saver of all, a guaranteed \$10.00 Men's Suit in 12 different patterns, for.....\$7.50
One lot of broken Suits, one and two of a kind, sold \$10.00 to \$15.00, to close at.....\$5.00

Strictly Hand Tailored \$12.00 Suits, new patterns and new cuts, Anniversary price.....\$8.50
Kohn Bros.' Hand Tailored \$13.50 and \$15.00 Suits in all colors and styles, Anniversary price.....\$10.50
We offer 40 Suits in the fine granite weaves, sold at \$15.00 elsewhere, for.....\$11.50
Choice of \$15.00, \$16.50 and \$17.00 fine Suits, none better made, as they are hand tailored throughout, for.....\$12.49
Children's Suits in Knee Pants, 8 to 16, for the little sum of.....98c
Knee Pants Suits, ages 8 to 16, in wool, cloth and serge, lined.....\$1.50
Knee Pants Suits, the \$2.50 all wool grade, double breasted, for.....\$1.75
High grade Knee Pants Suits in new patterns only, no old styles.....\$1.98
Boys' fine Knee Pants Suits, 9 to 16 years, high grade novelty cloth, Anniversary price.....\$2.48
Best grade of all wool Knee Pants Suits for spring use.....\$2.98
Our line of the finest Juvenile Novelties in red and blue Blouse and Russian Suits, bring \$5.00 always, Anniversary price.....\$3.50
We will quote you an actual cost price on any Carpet in the house during this sale, as we are quitting the carpet business.
Heavy Japanese Mattings, reversible, the tough straw and new designs, only.....16c
We will offer 1,000 yds of 80 lb Mattings, worth 25c, during this sale for.....18c
The best grade of heavy Mattings, which bring 30c, will be.....22 1/2c
22 different patterns in Carpet designs, large Oriental patterns, worth 30c, for.....20c
An immense assortment of the finest China Mattings, all the highest grade goods, none better made and which cost you 35c, our price will be during this sale per yd.....22 1/2c

Our limited space prevents us from quoting you any more prices we should like you to have, but if you do not find listed the article you want come to us during this sale and we will quote you a reduced price as we are determined to have your trade at a sacrifice.

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